

T.H.S. Ag. Students Win Two Awards In Unique Contest

Torrance Future Farmers brought home a trophy last week for good reasoning in the business of agriculture. The Production Credit Association of the Los Angeles County sponsored an essay contest to stimulate interest in sound financing for agricultural enterprises.

An actual application for a loan to enlarge a poultry business was taken from their files with name and location changed. The boys studied the situation, surveyed poultry conditions in reference to this application, decided whether they would grant this loan or refuse it, and presented reasons for their conclusions. The award was based upon the soundness of their reasoning and clearness of presentation.

Don Thompson's paper ranked third in the county poultry contest, and Tsutomu Shiotsu's fifth, according to their Torrance high school agriculture instructor, Harry H. Stone.

This is one of the activities designed to show that success in agriculture depends on headwork as well as brawn. The vocational agriculture department is glad to acknowledge the interest and help of adult organizations in furthering this fundamental understanding, Stone declared.

Panama City's postoffice was erected by the French Canal company for use as an administration building, turned over to the government after the firm failed in its efforts to build the "big ditch".

Boy Scout Week Fetes Anniversary

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Splendid Civic Service
These efforts hearten sincere and worried Americans who view the future with fear for this country's inherent rights and values. They are in keeping with the long service record of the Boy Scouts of America.

Floods, storms and fires have seen these khaki-clad youths in immediate action. New England and Florida still recovering from the hurricanes and floods of 1938 remember the Boy Scout work with appreciation. Older folks can remember them at work in war times. During World War I, over 400,000,000 dollars worth of Liberty Loan subscriptions were sold by Boy Scouts. Forty-three million dollars worth of War Savings Stamps were distributed by these youngsters. Scouts under direction of national leaders located over 5,200 earloads of standing walnut trees for defense authorities. Herbert Hoover, food administrator for the United States, complimented Scouts upon their efficient cultivation of war gardens and farms. These teen-age boys, directly aiding the government, delivered over 30 million pieces of literature.

American democracy is in the spotlight today. While the youth of the United States is being trained in a non-military fashion, not only to meet the exigencies of a war-time emergency, but also to meet the complexities of a peace-time existence, worried Americans may well relax their fears for the future.

DISTRICT SCOUTERS HOLD ROUND TABLE
Members of the Dominguez District Scouters who have charge of Scouting in this area gathered at the city hall Monday evening for a round-table session. The 12 present heard an interesting talk by Judge Robert Lessing on youth problems. Ray Burdick, district commissioner, presided.

Bowler Strikes 21 Times In Row
MENANDS, N. Y. —(UP)—Yates Lansing, 26, of Albany, was bowling with friends in an open match when he began a spree that ended in 21 consecutive strikes, one perfect game and a 770 total. He started by striking out in the last seven frames of his first game, then went through the second game and the last for singles scores of 238, 300 and 234.

Libya is an old Greek name for all of northern Africa.

Two Youths Injured In 101 Crashes

A boy cyclist and a 20-year-old motorcyclist were injured in two collisions that occurred on Highway 101 within the space of an hour last Sunday afternoon, according to police reports. The first crash occurred at the intersection of 101 and Hawthorne avenue which has long been pointed out as "the most dangerous crossing in the Torrance area."

Dominick Di Salvo, 20, of El Segundo is reported to have crashed his motorcycle in the side of Miss Doreanne Campbell's car shortly before 5 o'clock in the afternoon. Miss Campbell, of Los Angeles, was driving south on Hawthorne and said she was proceeding across the intersection at 101 when her car was struck by Di Salvo's motorcycle which was going east.

Miss Campbell said she tried to avoid the collision by swinging to the left. Young Di Salvo was taken to Torrance Memorial hospital for emergency treatment and was later removed to his home.

Strikes Door Handle
About an hour later 13-year-old James Phifer of San Pedro was badly hurt when his bicycle's rear wheel was struck by a machine driven by Robert Donald Lee, 21, of 24247 Neece avenue, Welteria, on Highway 101 between Los Altos and Academy Road. The boy was taken to the Hermosa hospital suffering from some badly torn muscles in his left hip—where he was struck by the handle of Lee's car door.

The San Pedro boy was riding east on 101, accompanied by Andy Blakeley, on their bicycles. According to reports given police, they were in the right-hand lane, Lee, driving in the same direction in the same lane, told investigating officers he failed to see the bicycles ahead of him until he was within a few feet of them.

Then, he said, he turned his machine sharply to the left but struck the rear wheel of young Phifer's bicycle, throwing the boy against the car and the handle of the door. Police reported that there were no lights on the bicycles.

Soldiers Need More Vitamins In Diet
STATE COLLEGE, Pa. —(UP)—A sufficient amount of Vitamin B-1 in the diets of soldiers in the new conscript army is necessary for the arduous physical activity of army life, according to nutritional chemists at Pennsylvania State College.

Diets of the new soldiers must contain a greater amount of the vitamin than would normally be required under average home conditions. Dr. N. B. Guernant and Dr. E. A. Ditcher, of the department of agricultural and biological chemistry, have advised.

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Adventure Loses Appeal for Aged Man After Lawndale-Torrance Hike

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As he walked the distance between the street or road intersections grew longer and longer. The tired lines between his eyes grew deeper as he stumbled on to the smooth sidewalk. He had arrived in a town but he was still lost and he did not know its name. He saw the homes in serried rows but none of them was his.

Another night was coming on and his knees were growing shaky. His fingers fumbled, buttoning his coat up as the sun, his only companion of the day, dipped below the trees and homes. In the fast coming night he saw a bench, some trees, grass. Here was rest.

He sat for a while then, he turned up his coat collar and stretched out on the bench... Sergeant Bill Evans, returning home from his shift on the desk at the police station, saw him in El Prado park and crossed to find out why an old man took such a chance of catching cold by exposure to the chill night.

It took only a few questions to learn that the park's only occupant was far from home; that prospects for another night away from his warm bed were not relished by an old man. Sergeant Evans had him up off that park bench and helped him to the police station where a "missing persons" report had been filed the night before with Mr. Grant Walker, 72, of Lawndale as the subject.

A telephone call and soon the aged wanderer's sister arrived, trembling and relieved.

"Now you go back to Lawndale with your sister—and be a good boy," Sergeant Evans admonished him. "Don't you try running away from home again."

A tear escaped from the tired, old eyes and Grant Walker shuffled out of the police station to enter his sister's car, home and that warm bed looked mighty, mighty good.

CALIFORNIA SPEAKS!
Significant Statements by Interesting Californians

HENRY SANBORN, returned to Calif. after career as hotel man in Kobe, Japan.—"The great trade door of the Orient swings shut against the white man. But that door will open. I'm old, now; but younger American businessmen will be back in a few years—and by Japanese request!"

JOHN F. MCGOWAN, S. F. supervisor.—"What San Francisco needs is a Board of Supervisors with more of a reputation for wise action and less of a reputation for wise-cracks and mixed metaphors."

LEON STEELE, Negro paroled from San Quentin after serving the prison's record term of 24 years.—"I'd been hoping and hoping for so long living on hope—and then hope was dying and then gone. And then it came! I'm the happiest and luckiest man alive."

SENATOR JOHN H. SWAN, Sacramento.—"The present State Department of Unemployment is a farce. They merely go through the motions of trying to find jobs and are meanwhile concentrating on paying out unemployment insurance."

A lot of pedestrians in California apparently continue to cherish the delusion they can butt 12-ton trucks off the street.

Colombian soldiers, sent from Bogota, the capital, to the Ecuador and Brazil frontiers, in many cases have to leave their own country to get there. This is because mountains, jungles and rivers make a direct route impossible.

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Willard H. Dow, president of Dow Chemical Co., who is one of six named in Federal indictment charged with curbing magnesium supply, thereby delaying defense program.

Three Lomitas Go On Superior Court Trial Feb. 24

Superior Court trial of three Lomitas on charges of assault with a deadly weapon as result of a three-ring fracas early last Christmas morning is scheduled for Feb. 24. The defendants are Mrs. Alma Brown, 29, and Noel Temple, 28, of 2214 1/2 Lomita boulevard, and Phillip Keeley, 20, of 2714 274th street.

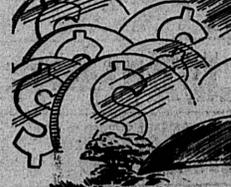
They are accused of slashing Clayton Beaudry, 26, of Hawthorne to such an extent that he had to have 103 stitches taken on his body to close his wounds. The trio pleaded not guilty to the charges at that position effective from Jan. 30 to June 30.

During his absence from the Moneta justice court bench, City Judge Frank Parent of Inglewood will preside for him over the lower court.

Rats Form Big Test Army; Eat Plenty

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Temporary offices of both Federal and state agencies will be located in the Torrance Chamber of Commerce headquarters Feb. 27 and 28 and will be open from 8:30 a. m. to 10 p. m.

A deputy Federal collector will acknowledge signatures at no charge. He will advise taxpayers concerning the tax forms but will not execute the forms for the taxpayers. He will accept tax payments made by check or money order. No cash will be taken. Taxes may be paid in full, semi-annual, or in quarterly installments.

All single persons whose gross income in 1940 was \$800 or more; and all married persons whose 1940 gross income was \$2,000 or more are required to file returns. The last day for filing returns is March 15.

Judge Carrell On Municipal Bench In S. P.

In the obtuse legal technical language favored by the courts, "good cause appearing therefore" Judge Frank Carrell of Gardena, is now sitting as a Los Angeles municipal magistrate in San Pedro's municipal court. He was appointed by Chief Justice Phillip Gibson to that position effective from Jan. 30 to June 30.

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British Gulana is the only recognized source of greenheart, a variety of laurel wood. It is used for piers, hulls, keels of ships, fishing rods and the butts of billiard cues.

Spanish moss is a member of the pineapple family. Contrary to popular belief, it is not a parasite.

Ray Biscallus Enlists In Navy

Raymond William Biscallus, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Biscallus, 22721 Pennsylvania ave., Torrance, was enlisted in the U. S. Navy Jan. 31. He is stationed at the Naval Training Station, San Diego, for six weeks of instructions before being assigned to a ship of the U. S. Fleet.

The United States has 15 battleships in commission.

HAS CAR STOLEN
Albert E. Treloar, teacher at Banning high school, Wilmington, and resident at 1908 Andree avenue, reported to Wilmington police Tuesday that his car was stolen from near the school.

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